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Nashville, Ill., Nov. 1-A branch order nstituted in this city Friday. The new instituted in this city Friday. The new lodge starts with a charter membership of thirty-five. The work of instituting the new order was in the hands of Illinois Tribe, No. 166, of Sparta, Ill., and about twenty-five Red Men came up from that city. The lodge has the following charter officers: Prophet, O. M. Burnett; sachem, Charles Strok; senior sagamore, Alexander P. Murray; junior sagamore, Charles Sumner Luke; keeper of records, John Peebles; keeper of wampum, George Huegely; trustees, Louis F. Hasemeier, John Teel and Henry Vogelpohl.

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Cullins's Skull Fractured Boarding-House Fight.

Being refused admittance to his boarding place at No. 6308 Spencer place early yesterday morning, Christy Cullins, it is

charged, broke in the door. Charles Walters, proprietor of the board-ing place, had kept him out. He met Cullins at the door and struck him over the head with a baseball bat, fracturing his skull. Walters was arrested by Deputy Constable Bode and placed in the Clayton Jall. Cullins will recover.

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DeArmond, Clark, Benton, Cowherd and Bartholdt to Be Advanced on Committees.

LEADERSHIP IS UNDECIDED.

If Delegation Should Try for Minority Nomination for Speaker, Both Clark and De-Armond Would Run.

The Republic Bureau, 14th St. and Pennsylvania Ave. Washington, Nov. 1.—There is some difference of opinion as to the work to be accomplished by the special session of Congress, but the view of most of the Congressmen who have arrived in Wash-ington is that little will be done beyond debate of Cuban reciprocity and of the tariff and trusts generally. The new Speaker, Mr. Cannon, no doubt

will announce the appointment of the leading committees of the House as soon as possible after his election has been formally announced. The speakership, having been practically

disposed of in advance—a rare occurrence, excepting where a former official is agreed upon for re-election-no time will be lost in the organization of the House for busi-Little is heard at present of the minority

nomination for Speaker, and it is impossible to predict whom the Democrats will sentative Williams of Mississippi has been conceded to lead in this contest, but his exact strength is not known at present. There probably will be a contest in the us, and, although Mr. Williams's nomination seems probable, it is not at all

caucia, and, attnogh air. Williams's nomination seems probable, it is not at all fully assured at this time.

Representative De Armond of Missouri has many friends, who believe he would be the most forceful and effective leader of the misority, but the Democrats of the Missouri delegation have not been disposed to present a candidate for the coming Congress. The delegation would be divided on the question, many of them favoring the presentation of Champ Clark, in case any Missourian is put forward. Clark also has friends in other delegations, who have given promise of support, if he should decide to enter the caucus as a candidate.

Within the coming week it may transpire that the delegation will decide to present a candidate, but no concerted action has been decided upon, and the matter has been considered only informally, with the understanding that, unless some future development should call for different action, no candidate would be presented.

PLACES FOR MISSOURIANS.

PLACES FOR MISSOURIANS. In any event, the Missouri Democrats are sure of good committee assignments. The older members all stand well with Speaker Cannon, who will be inclined to advance them as far as practicable. Those of later service are likely, also, to be promoted to more important committees, but as seniority counts for much in securing

as sealority counts for much in securing place in the House the first-comers naturally will have the advantage.

De Armond will become the leading Democratic member of the Judiciary Committee, on which Reed and Henderson served before their election to the speakership. Clark will head the minority in the Foreign Affairs Committee; Cowherd on Post Offices and Post Roads, and Benton on Appropriations, perhaps the most serviceable of all House committees.

With Cockrell on the Senate Appropriations Committee and Benton in like position in the House, the State ought to get, and doubtless will receive, whatever is available in the way of Federal expenditures. Bartholdt, on the Republican side, will be advanced on Public Buildings and Grounds, and head the Committee on Mississippi River Improvements, a good arrangement, in view of St. Louis's needs in the way of public huse and public buildings.

EFFECT OF AN EMPTY TREASURY But, with the Treasury surplus fast crumbling away, the demand for needed crumbling away, the demand for needed domestic improvements will be cried down as far as possible by the House management. Having expended untoid millions in the Philippines and with nothing in the Philippines and with nothing in the Philippines and with nothing in the Republicans will be compelled to resort again to the eleventh hour economy of the spendthrift, which foregoes the necessaries of life, because of past dissipation. Two years ago the public building bill was omitted because too much money had been expended on colonial policies, and now, with the Fifty-eighth Congress soon to meet, an empty Treasury threatens the continuance of interior expenditures, because of the enormous outgo for the army and our new "colonies" in times of peace. While the fiscal condition is unfortunate and does not favor Cuban reciprocity, which calls for further rehate of import duties, it may result in good eventually. It should cause a thorough study of the Republican policies, under which a Treasury defict is threatened with import duties at an average rate of @ per cent, almost the highest in history.

The question is not apt to be overlooked in the discussion which will come up over Cuban reciprocity, the tariff and trusts in general.

HALF BATES TO ARKANSAS And Texas Tuesday, November 2, via Cot-ton Belt Boute. Through chair cars, sleepers, cafe cars. See Cotton Belt ticket agent, 99 Olive street.

Fire at Marion, Ill. Marion, Ill., Nov. 1.-0. S. Judd, jeweler book dealer, lost his residence and this by fire last night. Loss, \$3,000.

DRAG NET CLOSING ABOUT GRAFTERS.

Secretary Hitchcock Says That Perpetrators of Land Frauds Will Be Punished.

SENATORS NOT IMPLICATED.

Officially Announced by the Interior Department That Congressmen Are Also Free of Taint.

Washington, Nov. 1.-The following statement of the conduct of the investigation into public land frauds in the Pacific States was prepared at the Interior Department and given out with Secetary Hitchcock's approval:

"Nearly a year ago information reached the Secretary of the Interior which strongly indicated that frauds of a serious naure had been and were being perpetrated against the Government, under what is known as the forest reserve land act of June 4, 1857, by a combination of land speculators on the Pacific Coast. "The information and indicated frauds

were of so grave a character that the Secretary at once directed a thorough investigation to be made. This investigation was commenced last January and has been conducted by those having charge of the actual work with great care and with all possible expedition consistent with thoroughness.

"The investigation has proceeded step by step without intermission, under the Secretary's personal direction, and every clew to wrong doing has been quietly followed to its source, with the result that it is the confident belief of those in charge of the inquiry that the guilty parties will be apprehended and speedily brought to justice.

justice.
"It has been the determination of the Secretary from the beginning that the matter should be probed to the bottom, regardless of the apparent influential character of some of the men involved, and the inquiry has been conducted throughout along these lines. The work is now nearing completion, and the whole matter at an early date will be in shape for definite and appropriate action against the offenders.

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"While several hundred thousand acres
of public lands are involved in the illegal
transactions brought to light, the number
of acres to which patents have been obtained by the perpetrators of the frauds is
comparatively small.

"The statements widely circulated to the
effect that five United States Senstors
and a large number of Representatives
were implicated and that the lands involved would reach in value \$15,00,000 or
\$13,000,000 are without foundation in fact.
It can be positively stated that they did
not originate in the Interior Department.
The details and results of the investigation are known to few and sensational
stories based on statements which have
heretofore appeared in the press must be
received with due allowance.

"At the proper time a full statement
will be made covering the results of the
entire investigation.

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"The work of investigation has been conducted by Arthur B. Hugher, Assistant Attorney in the Interior Department, and William J. Burns of the Secret Service of the Treasury Department. Mr. Burns was called into the case last May and since that time has had entire charge of the Secret-Service features of the work, while Hughes has been attending to its legal phases. The Secretary of the Interior is highly gratified with the efficient services rendered by these officers in this matter."

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SIXTEENTH DEATH AS RESULT OF WRECK.

Fifteen of the Victims of Indianapolis Disaster Are in a Serious Condition.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 1. — William Balley of New Richmond, Ind., subplayer on the Purdue University football team died this afternoon from internal injuries This is the sixteenth death. His father

Fourteen dead bodies were shipped to their homes to-day, and the body of Joseph R. Powell of Corpus Christi, Tex. will be sent home to-morrow morning. Services were held this afternoon over Helena, Mont., by Doctor J. Cumming smith before the body was shipped home. There are still lying in the hospital thirty-tour victims of the wreck, thirty-three of whom are students of Purdue University. Of these, fifteen are in a serious condition.

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H. O. Wright of Pendleton, Ind., subplayer, has a broken back, and his recovery is not thought probable.

C. C. Adams of Osgood, Ind., and member of the band, has a broken spine, and is in a precarious condition. It was not known until to-day that he was hurt, as he was taken to the home of relatives.

Coach O. F. Cutts of North Anson, Me., who had worked over the injured all day and night, was ordered to the hospital and will have both legs in plaster casts for several weeks. There are crushed bones in each ankie.

W. G. McMannus of Davenport, Ia., tackle on the team, is no weaker to-day. Both of his legs are crushed.

H. O. Lesile of West Lafayette, captain of last year's team, and this year's full back, has been under the influence of anaesthetics all day. He has a broken leg and a broken jaw.

G. W. Nichols of Philadelphia, Pa., a

anaesthetics all day. He has a broken leg and a broken iaw.

G. W. Nichols of Philadelphia, Pa., a student, who was injured in the right shoulder, is suffering from a profound shock, and is in a serious condition.

L. E. Rush of Dairy Station, Pa., subtackle, has both legs broken and is crushed in a serious condition, though his recovery has been predicted.

Professor A. E. Bitting of Purdue faculty is improving.

Among others of the injured who are expected to be able to leave the hospital in a few days, is D. M. Allen of Bianchard, Ia.

ard, ia.

There are many others whose injuries are believed to be slight. Many of them are preparing to leave for their home.

President Stone of Purdue University is still making his quarters at the hotel here and is answering inquiries from all parts of the country. The telegraph offices have been flooded with incoming and outgoing messages and extra forces have been put to work to handle the business.

Observation Pyrior Cafe Cars Service a la carte, on Cotton Belt trains leaving St. Louis Union Station daily 8:56 a. m. Night train leaves 9:45 p. m. Through without change. Ticket office, 369 Olive street and Union Station.

VIRGIL CONKLING IN THE CITY. Former State Committee Secreta-

ry Is Out of Politics.

Virgil Conking of Carrolton, Mo., is at the Southern. Mr. Conkling was former secretary of the Democratic State Central Committee, but he has retired from active politics, and is now devoting the greater part of his time to the practice of law. Mr. Conkling would not state any preference for the gubernatorial nomination. He has always been a strong personal friend of Mayor James A. Reed of Kansas City, and it would not surprise the politicians of the former secretary to see him working for the Kansas City candidate before the campaign is over.

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"Faith is the tie that binds ail BURNING TRESTLE relationships, and the man who an strengthen this tie is the representative of heaven."—The Rever-

The Reverend Doctor W. J. Williamson preached yesterday morning in the Third Baptist Church on "The Value of Confidence in the Business and in the Religious

The recent run on the trust companies of this city gave rise to the sermon, and the minister pointed out that confidence was restored by men who had faith in the city's financial honor. Their efforts and actions he warmly commended. He said. in part:

'The book of Job represents the best in all literature. It has the insignia of immortality on every page. It will be deathless as long as mankind is concerned with the great problem of life and death and the world to come. Every thoughtful man finds there the records of his own inner life; Job's battle is the battle of humanity. "The text, more than any verse of Scripture, is indicative of the true nature of the devil. The greatest German poet has made the character of Satan to cul-minate, not in some revelation of titanic and world-wrecking strength, but in the apparent weakness of a sneer. His chief method of attack is to create suspicion in the heart of those who would otherwise be

the heart of those who would otherwise be trustful.

"When man first fell he yielded because he began to doubt God's wisdom and love. The serpent in the garden simply awoke distrust, and the gates of Paradise soon closed against mankind. So, in the book of Job, Satan intimates that nothing is genuine, nothing true, nothing unselfish.

"He would make us feel that all is a hollow sham, and everything is at heart bad. If he can accomplish this, all other evils follow, as the night the day. Satan intimates that even worship is engaged in because of selfish motives, and that self-interest is back of all human activity. He seeks to shake man's condence in the good, the beautiful and the true by producing the conviction that an attractive exterior covers a bad heart.

MUST THINK SERIOUSLY.

MUST THINK SERIOUSLY. "We need only to think seriously and observe closely to discover that all human relationships are built upon confidence and relationships are built upon confidence and trust. This is as true in the exacting commercial world as in the social sphere. In Shakespeare's 'Merchant of Venice' Shylock, who obtains his bond and demands the pound of fiesh, is not the typical business man, but rather Antonio, who, with generous impulses, supports the plans of his friend, and has faith to trust his richly laden ships to the winds of the sea.

sea.

"A man may do the business of a Shylock, distrustful of his fellows, and taking advantage of their misfortune, but he should never be dignified by the title of business man; rather is he a human leech, living upon the warm life-blood of the commercial world—a serpent ever

leech, living upon the warm life-blood of the commercial world—a serpent ever coiled for attack.

"The true world of business is trustful and is founded upon faith. We have had a valuable example of this during the threatened panic of last week. Had a half dozen leading financiers lost confidence in their fellows and determined to safeguard their own at the cost of others, the credit of our city might have been seriously impaired and a condition produced from which it would have taken years to recover.

"Our city was saved by faith. Loyal-hearted men who believed in the integrity of our financial institutions came quickly to the front and, unasked, pledged their private fortunes. The greatest enemy to our civic and commercial life is the man who goes through the business world with a sneer and a suggestion of suspicion.

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world with a sneer and a suggestion of suspicion.

"On the other hand, our greatest men are men of large-hearted faith, who because of their generous natures are able to inspire condence in others. Such men are always in demand. In every time of crisis they come to the front bearing on their brows the stamp of self-reliant leadership.

leadership.
"The man of suspicion and sneers never leads. Because of his faith in his mission Alexander Dowis could lead 4,000 of his followers across the continent, but when the metropolis came to hear his

message, instead of the vision of faith for which the human heart hungers, they heard only vituperation and criticism; hence it was natural for him to find himself deserted by his audience and finally by his devotees.

"We extend our influence and increase the circle of our friends only as we possess the God-given power to love men and trust them. When a man learns that somebody really believes in him it becomes harder for him to betray a trust.

EFFECT OF CONDUCT

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commercial confidence and the officials who loot the public treasury is not in the

commercial confidence and the officials who loot the public treasury is not in the amount of money they misappropriate, but in the effect their conduct has in shaking public trust. Faith is the tentath binds all relationships, and the man who can strengthen this tie is the representative of heaven. Every honest life, every life sincere, unselfish and true, makes it easier for men to believe in each other and in God.

Tit is in this regard that Jesus Christ can help all men. He came to tell us that man is made in the image of God. He believed in man's infinite capability and destiny. He clung to this conviction in spite of Gethsemane and the cross, and in his death he triumphed.

"All the history of the world worthy of Peter and John was once limited to the Sea of Gaillee and the fishing nets. They met Jesus, and the Savior's love and trust awoke them into a new life; thenceforth they became fishers of men. It was fellowship with Jesus Christ that made Saul of Tarsus a citizen of the world and the great benefactor of mankind. If we seek the companionship of the same Savior we shall be inspired by hope and enabled to make the lives of others brighter by a message and a life of faith.

"It is this lack of sympathy and a helping hand which prevents the reclamation of the erring. Victor Hugo's Immortial character, Jean Valjean, shown us how the broken life may be made whole their misfortunes, but he should have the lives of others brighter by a message and a life of faith.

"The savior of mankind never condoned sin, even in its mildest forms, but there was that about him which could kindle hope in the breast of a repentant man and make the erring feel that there yet remained a life of sacrificial service and a heaven of hope and peace and love."

WRECKED A TRAIN.

Engineer Cleared the Structure Safely, but Rails Spread and Caused Accident.

Gallipolis, O., Nov. 1.-The regular Kanawha and Michigan passenger train be-tween Charleston, W. Va., and Gallipolis was wrecked to-day at Redhouse, W. Va. The engineer discovered a burning trestle and putting on all steam, got his train safely across, but the heat had caused the rails to spread and the engine, baggage car and smoker turned over on their sides, together with the chaircar on the rear of the train. The engineer, William Tourney of Charleston, was killed, and John Baker White, formerly secretary of ex-Governor McCorkle of West Virginia, suffered a broken leg, three fractured ribs and serious internal injuries. Nearly every passenger on the train was badly bruised and shaken up.

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Salt River to Be Turned Over Arid Arizona Lands. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Washington, Nov. 1.-The first steps toward irrigating the arid lands of the West were taken by the Interior Department to-day when proposals were asked for the construction of an eighteen-mile canal, pressure pipes and tunnels, together with spillways and gates for the diversion and conduct of about 200 cubic feet of water per second from Salt River, twenty-five miles north of Globe, Ariz., for watering the neighboring country.

The bids will close December 13, and the department hopes to have the work well under way in January and completed within a year. The canal will originate from a bend in Salt River near McMillan, in Gila County, and it is proposed to build spillways to produce sufficient moisture to redeem 100,000 acres. A rich mineral belt will be traversed and a region that is already laid out for farm lands.

It is estimated that the cost will be \$300,-000. gether with spillways and gates for the

SULPHUR CITIZENS INCENSED. Hitchcock's Plat of City Does Not Include Whole Town.

Ardmore, I. T., Nov. 1.—Owners of business property in Sulphur are greatly incensed over the action of Secretary Hitchcock with regard to the plat of the Sulphur townsite, which was approved recently by

townsite, which was approved recently by him.

The original survey and the plat made from it and sent to Secretary Hitchcock included all the business portion of the town. The plat, is approved by him, leaves Broadway, the main business etreet of the town, outside the townsite limits. On this street are located the Bland Hotel, a handsome four-story brick building, and many other brick and stone buildings.

J. G. Joyce, Supervisor of Townsites in the Indian Territory, has been ordered to Suiphur to resurvey and plat the town to conform with the Secretary's approved plat, Joyce arrived last night and will proceed with the work at once.

Business men of Sulphur have sent a delegation to Lishomingo to see Governor Mosely, as they will make an appeal to the Chickasaw Legislature to have the entire business portion of the town included in the townsite.



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My method of curing Stricture in all its stages is by Irrigation and Digestion, which absorbs the substance that connects the cleatrix, or fibrous formation, so that the stricture is removed in shred like particles, leaving the canal entirely free and unobstructed. If it is inorganic Stricture, commonly called chronic genorrhea, or gleet, with discharge and apasanodic tension, due to a severe inflammatory condition. I reduce the inflammation at once discharges, irritation, painful and frequent urination are stopped immediately, and soon the canal heals, resuming a perfectly natural condition. By removing all the inflammation in the entire genito-urinary system, my treatment cures the severe complications with the kidneys, bladder and prostate gland that usually arise from neglected stricture, and when i dismiss a case not a sign of the disease ever reappears.

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INDIANA OIL FIELD HOLDS OUT NO GREAT PROMISE.

Geological Survey Declares There Is No Reason to Expect Rich Development.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Washington, Nov. 1.-The Patoka Geologic Folio, which the United States Geological Survey probably will have ready for distribution about January 1, will be of interest to all prospectors for oil and gas in Southwestern Indiana, M. L. Fuller, who made the survey of the region, finds that a number of small oil and gas wells have been developed in that localwells have been developed in that locality, but that no large pools have yet been encountered.

Prospecting has been carried on, however, over but a small part of the area. It is very probable that numerous pockets, some of them perhaps yielding profits on the investments, would be found if the region were thoroughly tested, although there is no reason to think that a very extensive oil field will ever be developed in this region.

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Diamond catalog, 5,000 illustrations, mailed free BEAUPRE IS COMING HOME. Minister to Colombia Sees No

Hope of Action in Canal Case. REPUBLIC SPECIAL Washington, Nov. 1.—United States Minister Beaupre has been granted leave of abense from his post at Bogota, Colombia, and will return to the United

States at once. The Colombian Congress is expected to adjourn to-day, and Minister Beaupre's adjourn to-day, and Minister Beaupre's departure is an indication that there is no prospect of resumption of negotiations through the United States Legation in Bogota at least. Secretary Hay would much prefer to negotiate with Doctor Herran, the Colombian Charge here, than direct with the Colombian Forsign Office.

As is usual, every time any person prominent in the canal negotiations makes a move, the homecoming of Minister Beaupre is accompanied by a rumor that he may bring a new canal proposition from Colombia and a report is also current that, unless he does bring a new proposition, the President will open negotiations with Nicaragua. These reports are not officially substantiated.

Horse Show Stick Pins. The Grolock Vehicle Co. invite their lady friends and customers to call at their repository, \$15 North Broadway, and secure one of the handsome Horse Show souvenir pins free.

NOTED HISTORIAN IS DEAD. Professor Mommsen Passes Away

Still Unconscious. Berlin, Nov. L-Professor Theodore Mommsen, the historian, died at Charlottenberg this morning. He passed away without regaining consciousness, the change from life to death being observed only by his attending physician, who watched all night with the family. Emperor William and various lense German sovereigns have sent their con-dolences to the Mommsen family. Pro-fessor Mommsen was born in 1817.

HALF RATES TO ARKANSAS And Texas Tuesday, November 3, via Cot-ton Belt Route. Through chair cars, sleepers, cafe cars. See Cotton Belt ticket agent, 906 Olive street.

Data for Historical Sketch. Poplar Bluff, Mo., Nov. 1.-R. A. Hockensmith of Columbia was here to-day se curing data relative to Butler County's natural wealth and possibilities which is to appear in the World's Fair historical sketch of "The State of Missouri," to be written by Walter Williams. FANCY CHEVIOTS AND CASSIMERES. WORSTED AND WOOL SUITINGS AND TROUS-ERINGS.

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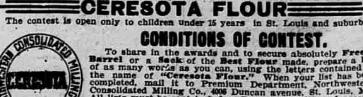
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